

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(MBHB Case No. 05-949)**

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| In re Application of:                          | ) |                           |
| Matcjat et al.                                 | ) |                           |
|  | ) | Group Art Unit: 1795      |
| Serial No.: 10/559,396                         | ) |                           |
|  | ) | Examiner: Phasge, Arun S. |
| Filed: April 03, 2006                          | ) |                           |
|  | ) | Confirmation No.: 5607    |
| For: Method for Regenerating Etching Solutions | ) |                           |
| Containing Iron for the Use in Etching or      | ) |                           |
| Pickling Copper or Copper Alloys and an        | ) |                           |
| Apparatus for Carrying Out Said Method         | ) |                           |

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In regard to the above-identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached
  - a. Response to Final Office Action mailed October 18, 2007;
  - c. Request for Continued Examination (RCE);
  - b. One month extension under 37 CFR 1.36(a);
2. With respect to fees:
  - (a) Please charge \$930.00 to Deposit Account 13-2490;
    - (i) \$120.00 one month extension fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a);
    - (ii) \$810.00 RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e);
  - (b) General Authorization: Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February, 15, 2008

By: /James T. Wasicak/  
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